

# LCSO- WLS QUARTERLY COMMUNITY MEETING

**Wednesday, October 29, 2014**

**7:00 pm – 8:30 pm**

**Round Hill Town Office**



**Western Loudoun Station**

**23 Main St. 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

**Round Hill, VA 20141**

**Main # 571-258-3750**





# LCSO Mission Statement



SERVICE

TECHNOLOGY

## LOUDOUN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE MISSION STATEMENT

The Loudoun County Sheriff's Office will strive to continuously improve safety and law enforcement services to all members of our community through the Step Up Strategy of improved service, technology, efficiency and professionalism.

We will work interactively with federal, state, and other local law enforcement authorities to vigorously and fairly enforce criminal laws by sharing capabilities, strategies and assets.

We will partner with community services groups and human services agencies to implement strategies that improve the quality of life for County residents, businesses and visitors.

Finally, we will engage our community through courteous and proactive outreach and communication, and work diligently to constantly improve our professionalism.

Every member of the Loudoun County Sheriff's Office is expected to contribute to the furtherance of this mission.

Michael L. Chapman  
Sheriff, Loudoun County



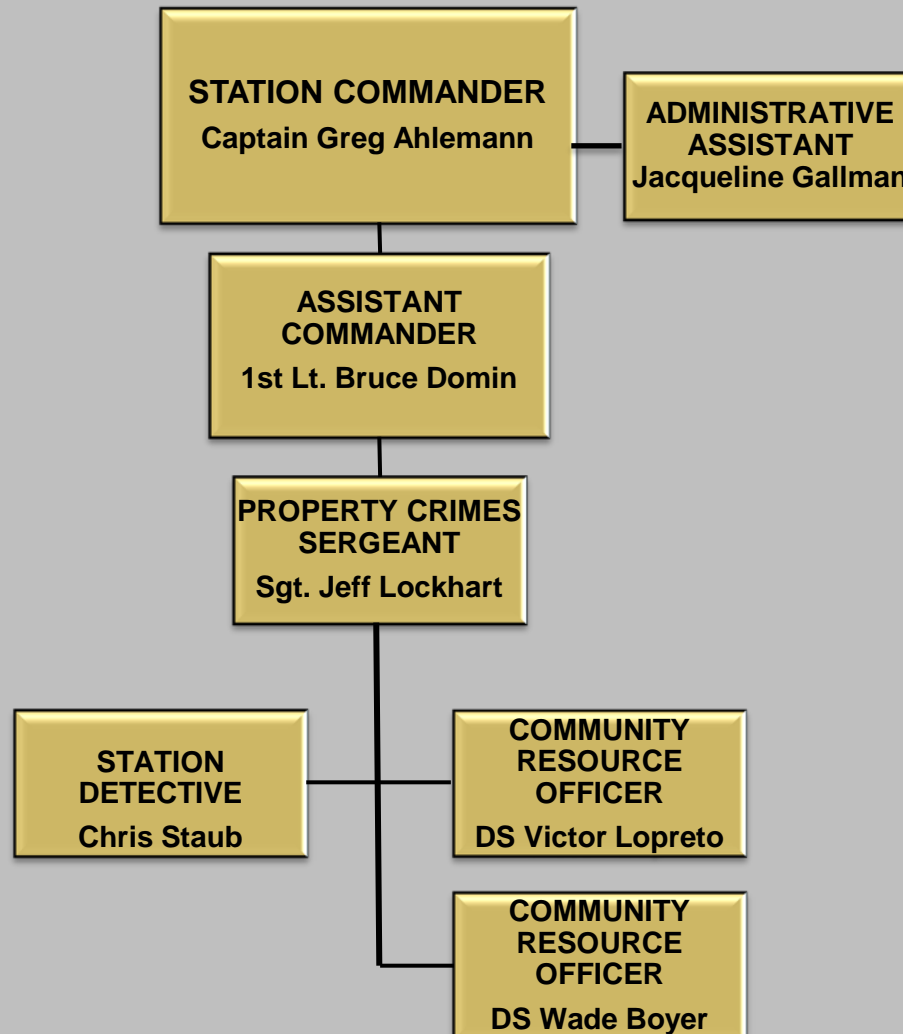
EFFICIENCY

PROFESSIONALISM





# WLS Organizational Chart





# WLS Station Personnel



- **CAPTAIN GREG AHLEMANN, Station Commander**  
(571) 258-3054  
[Greg. Ahlemann@loudoun.gov](mailto:Greg.Ahlemann@loudoun.gov)
- **1<sup>st</sup> LT. BRUCE DOMIN, Assistant Station Commander**  
(571) 258-3751  
[Bruce. Domin@loudoun.gov](mailto:Bruce.Domin@loudoun.gov)
- **JACQUELINE GALLMAN, Administrative Assistant**  
(571) 258-3754  
[Jacqueline.Gallman@loudoun.gov](mailto:Jacqueline.Gallman@loudoun.gov)
- **SERGEANT JEFF LOCKHART**  
(571) 258-3559  
[Jeff.Lockhart@loudoun.gov](mailto:Jeff.Lockhart@loudoun.gov)
- **DETECTIVE CHRISTOPHER STAUB**  
(703) 737-8757  
[Christopher.Staub@loudoun.gov](mailto:Christopher.Staub@loudoun.gov)





# CROs & Squad/Shift Schedules



## **WADE BOYER**

(571)442-2109

Wade.Boyer@loudoun.gov

Sectors 530, 540 and 550

*South of Rt. 9*

## **VICTOR LOPRETO**

(571)246-5094

Victor.Lopreto@loudoun.gov

Sectors 510, 520 and 530

*North of Rt. 9*



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### Squads:

**A Days / A Nights**

**B Days / B Nights**

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### Day Shift:

**6:00am - 6:00pm**

### Night Shift:

**4:00pm - 4:00am**

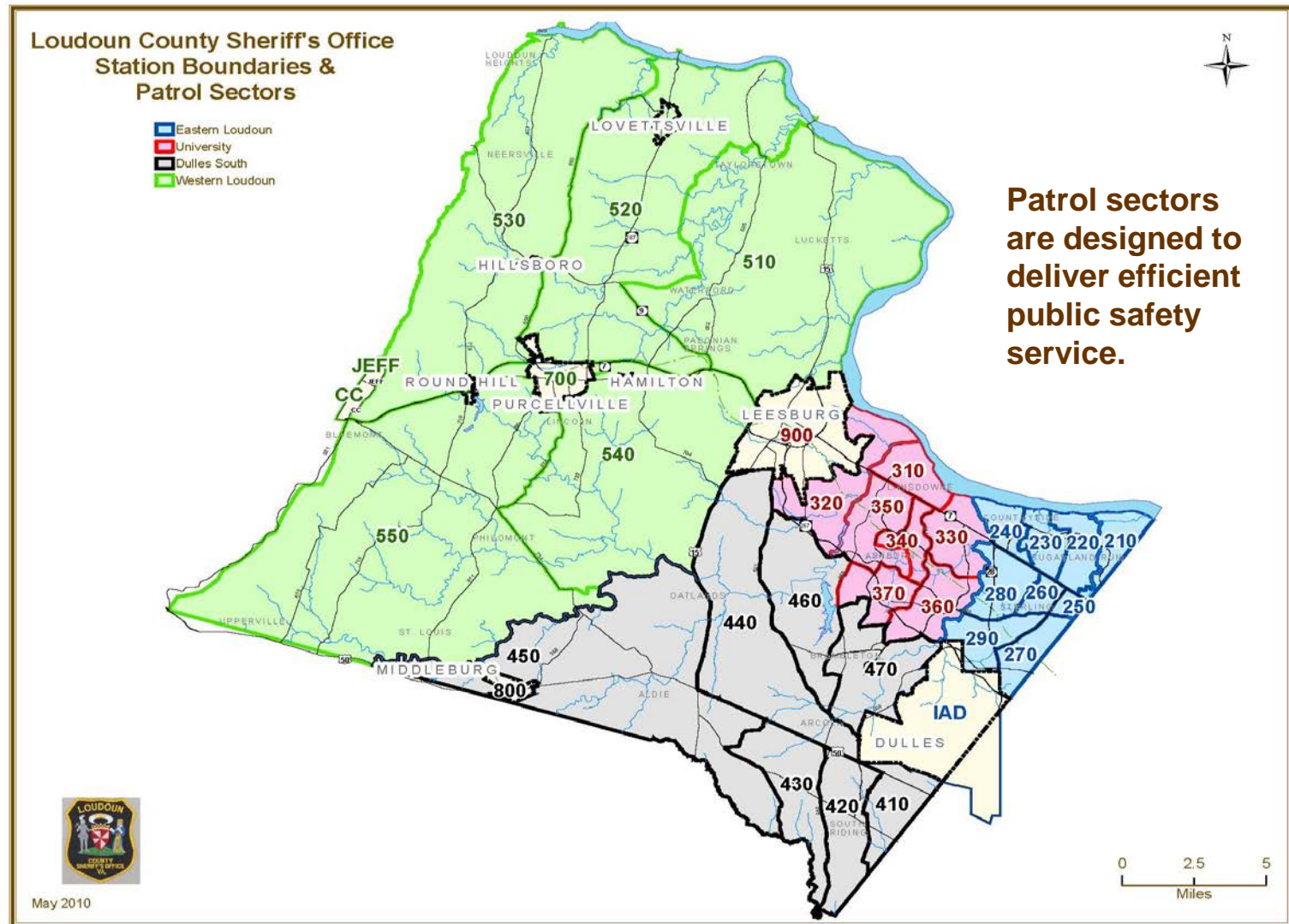
**7:00pm - 7:00am**







# Loudoun County Map w/ Station Boundaries / Sectors





# PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

## WESTERN LOUDOUN STATION – 2014

[Future Site at 47 W. Loudoun St., Round Hill]

Although no public services are available at the current Western Loudoun Station location, it exists as an internal point of presence for Loudoun County Sheriff's Deputies to conduct roll call, follow-up investigations and access departmental information systems.





# PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

## RENDERING OF NEW WESTERN LOUDOUN STATION







# PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE



## SHERIFF'S STATIONS

- Sally Port
- Temporary Holding Facility
- Booking Area
- Roll Call Room
- Deputy Workroom
- Interview Rooms
- Multi-purpose / Community Rooms
- Exercise & Locker Rooms
- Evidence Processing & Storage

## SHERIFF'S STATION STAFFING

- Receptionist / Administrative Assistant
- Records/Crime Analyst
- Station Deputy
- Station Detective(s)
- Community Resource Officers





# LCSO Launches New Website



## Sheriff.Loudoun.Gov

### *New & Improved Website Offers Innovative & Interactive Features in a More User Friendly Layout*

- Report a Crime Online
  - ✓ Report certain crimes such as larceny, ID theft & vandalism via the Internet.
- Community Resource Directory
  - ✓ Search community resources for health & human services in Loudoun County.
- Case Follow-Up
  - ✓ Victims can follow-up & inquire about status of cases via the website.
- Find My Station
  - ✓ A searchable map allowing residents to find their nearest station providing services such as fingerprinting & background Checks.



### Future Enhancements:

- Traffic Incident Mapping Using Online Mapping Resources





# LCSO ONLINE REPORTING

WWW.SHERIFF.LOUDOUN.GOV



ALERT LOUDOUN



FIND MY STATION



CRIME MAPS & STATS



Report a Crime Online FAQ's ▶

[Home](#) > Report A Crime

## Loudoun Sheriff's Office Online Crime Reporting System

### Report a Crime Online

Welcome to the Loudoun County Sheriff's Office Citizens Online Police Reporting System. **If this is an Emergency or a crime is in progress/just occurred, please call 911.** Using this online citizen crime reporting system allows you to submit a report without leaving your home; however, not every crime can be reported. Please confirm the following to find out if online citizen crime reporting is right for you:

- This is not an emergency?
- This incident occurred within Loudoun County?
- This is not a motor vehicle crash or hit and run?

If you answered yes to all of the above questions, you are ready to file your report online. Please make sure to turn off your pop-up blocking software before filing the report. If you answered no to any of the questions, please look at our [Online Crime Reporting Frequently Asked Questions](#) section. Upon completion of this report process you will:

- See the words: "Your online police report has been submitted" showing that your report is complete.
- Be given a temporary report number.
- Be able to print a copy of the temporary report to keep for your records.

Please Note:

- All cases filed using the Citizen's Online Crime Reporting System will be reviewed.
- Upon review, if further investigation of your case is needed, you may be contacted.
- **Filing a false police report is a CRIME.**

Anyone found to have submitted a false police report will be prosecuted under the authority of Virginia State Code §18.2-461, which shall be punishable as a Class 1 misdemeanor. Maximum possible penalty is one year in jail and/or \$2,500 fine. The Loudoun County Sheriff's Office Citizen's Online Crime Reporting System accepts the following types of incidents:

- |                                                  |                                                |                                                         |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol Violations      | <input type="checkbox"/> Civil Disputes        | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card Fraud              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Destruction of Property | <input type="checkbox"/> Fraud/False Pretenses | <input type="checkbox"/> Harassing Calls/Emails         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Identity Theft          | <input type="checkbox"/> Theft                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Theft From Vehicle             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lost Property           | <input type="checkbox"/> Narcotics Activity    | <input type="checkbox"/> Suspicious Event/Circumstances |

[Please Click Here to Start Your Online Report](#)

[Please click here for Traffic Complaints](#)

[Please click here for Agency Questions or Concerns](#)

Incident Type	Definition	Examples
Alcohol Violation	When alcohol is consumed by a person under the age of 21, sold to a person under the age of 21 or purchased for a person under the age of 21.	Underage parties where persons less than 21 are consuming alcohol, locations where it is believed persons less than 21 are being sold alcohol or where persons are suspected of purchasing alcohol for those less than 21 years of age.
Civil Dispute	A disagreement between people or groups in which no criminal laws are broken.	Child custody disputes, neighbor disputes, common property disputes, etc.
Credit Card Fraud	Occurs when the credit card or credit card number(s) are used fraudulently without the consent of the cardholder.	Your wallet is lost or stolen and purchases are made on your credit card without your consent. An unauthorized purchase appears on your credit card statement from an online retailer.
Credit Card Theft	Taking or obtaining of credit card(s), or credit card number(s), with the intent to use them fraudulently.	Your credit card is stolen from your person or your credit card number is stolen by an unknown person.
Destruction of Property/Vandalism	The act of changing, modifying, defacing public or private property.	A vehicle was damaged on the exterior, but no parts were removed or entry was made into the vehicle.
Fraud/False Pretense	Fraudulently obtaining or selling goods and services.	Construction work intentionally undone. False internet products or returns. Non-delivery of tickets.
Harassing Phone Calls/Emails	Unwanted phone calls or e-mail of an annoying, harassing nature.	Immediate phone hang-ups, obscene language, etc. with no known suspects.
Identity Theft	Obtaining another's personal identifying information and using it to obtain credit, goods or services.	Someone obtains a credit card using your Social Security Number or obtains phone service using your personal information.
Larceny/Theft	Your property is taken without your permission.	Someone takes your cellular phone without permission. Lost property is not a theft.
Lost Property	Property is missing or lost.	This is not theft of property. Does not include lost passports, social security cards or driver's licenses.
Narcotics Activity	Suspected narcotics activity.	Includes suspected sales of narcotics, traffic indicating the sale of narcotics, consumption of illegal narcotics.
Shoplifting	Property is taken from a business without paying.	Someone steals consumable product from a business and leaves without paying. This includes concealment.
Suspicious Event/Circumstance	Suspicious activity that you wish for the Sheriff's Office to know about, but is not necessarily a crime.	Someone you do not know hangs out on your street corner for several hours every afternoon. Cars that you do not recognize are parked in front of your home and then leave at all hours of the night. Your neighbor has frequent visitors that only stay for a couple of minutes at a time.





# CopLogic Online Crime Reporting Statistics

Calendar Year 2014			
Month	Total Reports	Hours Saved	Cost Savings
January	153	306	\$11,475.00
February	147	294	\$11,025.00
March	212	424	\$15,900.00
April	223	446	\$16,725.00
May	229	458	\$17,175.00
June	197	394	\$14,775.00
July	202	404	\$15,150.00
August	210	420	\$15,750.00
September			
October			
November			
December			
Total	1573	3146	\$117,975.00

## 2013 COPLOGIC STATISTICS:

**Total Online Reports: 1671**  
**Hours Saved: 3342**  
**Cost Savings: \$125,325**

Total Reports 2014







# WESTERN LOUDOUN PART I & II CRIME STATS



WESTERN LOUDOUN CRIME STATS PART I – 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> q 2013 vs 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> q 2014				
CRIME TYPE	JAN – SEP 2013	JAN – SEP 2014	CHANGE	%
Aggravated Assault	8	6	-2	-25%
Auto Theft	8	10	+2	+25%
Burglary	31	35	+4	+12.95%
Larceny	165	83	-82	-49.7%
Rape	7	2	-5	-71.43%
Robbery	0	2	+2	+200%
Homicide	0	1	+1	+100%

WESTERN LOUDOUN CRIME STATS PART II - 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> q 2013 vs 1 <sup>st</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup> q 2014				
CRIME TYPE	JAN – SEP 2013	JAN – SEP 2014	CHANGE	%
Destruction of Property	120	84	-36	-30%
DIP	26	15	-11	-42.31%
Disorderly Conduct	10	10	0	0%
DUI	64	28	-36	-56.25%
Liquor Violation	14	5	-9	-64.29%
Narcotics Related	52	46	-6	-11.54%
Runaway	10	18	+8	+80%
Sex Assault	6	3	-3	-50%
Simple Assault	93	72	-21	-22.58%
Weapons Violation	13	7	-6	-46.15%





# Significant Incidents

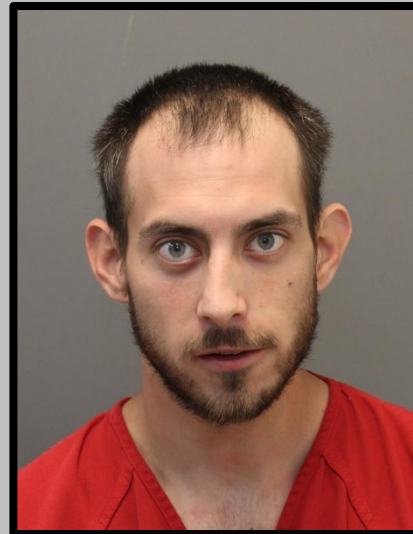
## BURGLARY:

On July 14<sup>th</sup>, residents of Lovettsville reported that an unknown subject entered their residence and removed prescription medications. A LCSO Detective installed surveillance cameras at the victim's residence. Subsequently, suspects were witnessed on several occasions entering the victim's residence and removing additional items.

The below suspects were identified and arrested.



**Amber Sweeney**  
DOB: 12/20/80



**Daniel Sweeney**  
DOB: 09/24/88





# Significant Incidents

On August 27<sup>th</sup>, during daytime hours, multiple residences in and around the Round Hill and Purcellville areas were broken into by way of forced entry. Suspects stole cash, jewelry, prescription meds, and misc. tools and equipment. Upon further investigation, LCSO detectives ID'd possible suspects, and victims were able to positively identify the below subjects who are currently incarcerated in West Virginia pending additional burglary charges in that jurisdiction.



**Travis Long**  
**DOB: 12/18/89**



**Dwayne Pauley**  
**DOB: 09/25/89**





# Operation Inventory



## Fact vs Fiction

### **Fiction:**

Most people record their property's information and can provide it to law enforcement once it is lost or stolen.

### **Fact:**

In most cases victims of theft have very little information about what was stolen. Statistically less than 10% will have enough information so the stolen item can be entered into NCIC.

### **Fiction:**

All serial numbers are unique to a single item.

### **Fact:**

The same serial number may be used by a manufacturer more than once. For example a camera may have the same serial number as a television. It is important to know the make and model in addition to the serial number because this will be the factor that will distinguish the two items from one another.

### **Fiction:**

Stolen property must have a serial number before law enforcement can recover it.

### **Fact:**

Law Enforcement can recover any property that can be positively identified by serial numbers or other special markings.

**Burglars seek small, hard-to-trace, high-value objects**

- Jewelry
- Laptops
- Small electronics (iPods etc.)
- DVD's / CD's
- Video game systems (XBOX360/PS3)

**Burglars generally gain entry through**

- 81% First Floor
- 34% Front Door
- 23% 1st Floor Window
- 22% Back Door
- 10% Garage
- Residential burglaries generally require very little force to gain entry



**For More Information Contact:**

**Major John Fraga at**  
**john.fraga@loudoun.gov**



## Operation Inventory

**A Citizen's Property  
Recovery Program Should  
Your Belongings Ever be  
Stolen or Lost**



**Record Makes, Models &  
Serial Numbers of  
Valuables**

**Sheriff Michael L. CHAPMAN**  
Loudoun County Sheriff's Office  
[www.loudoun.gov/sheriff](http://www.loudoun.gov/sheriff)







# Guest Speaker

## DFC DALE SPURLOCK Crime Prevention Specialist 2014 VA Deputy Sheriff of the Year

- Auto Tamperings & Larcenies from vehicles
- Burglaries or Larcenies from residences
- Technology Safety for Teens





# LCSO ADVISES RESIDENTS OF RECENT SCAMS



## FAILURE TO PAY FINES/FAILURE TO APPEAR SCAM:

Caller claims to be from a local law enforcement agency and advises that a warrant has been issued for the victim's arrest for nonpayment of an alleged fine or failure to appear for jury duty.

*Even if you have committed an offense that could result in a fine or warrant, law enforcement officials will never contact you by phone to collect payment.*

## IRS/TAX RETURN SCAM:

Caller claims the victim made several mistakes on previous tax returns and that a fine has been issued which must be paid immediately. The victim is provided instructions to purchase a prepaid money card and provide that number to the caller for verification. Upon doing so, the funds are transferred to the suspect.

*Often the callers are conducting their activity from foreign countries, making recovery of your money and legal prosecution nearly impossible.*



## **WARNING** **Money Card Scams**

Scammers are claiming to be from the IRS, local law enforcement, and other government agencies. They convince victims they owe fines and could face arrest. In most of the cases the victims are asked to obtain money cards.

### **Protect Yourself!**

**CAUTION**



Be Suspicious of callers who demand immediate payment for any reason.



Never provide personal or financial information to anyone who e-mails or calls you unsolicited.



Don't wire money, provide debit or credit card numbers or Green-Dot MoneyPak or Reloadit card numbers to someone you don't know.



Remember utility companies and government agencies will not contact you demanding immediate payment by money cards.

If you were of a victim of a scam, please call 703-777-1021

Emergency: 911

<http://sheriff.loudoun.gov>



**"When in doubt, have us check it out!"**  
Loudoun Sheriff Mike Chapman





# DEA National Drug Take Back Initiative

September 27, 2014

LCSO partnered with the DEA, Leesburg PD and Purcellville PD for the 9<sup>th</sup> Nationwide Prescription Take Back Day

545 lbs. collected

This was the final Take Back Day. The DEA will now allow authorized DEA registrants to collect prescription medications for disposal.

*Rates of prescription drug abuse in the United States are increasing at alarming rates, as are the number of accidental poisonings and overdoses due to these drugs. Studies show that a majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including from the home medicine cabinet.*



State of Virginia Collection Site







# Operation Porch Lights Out : Halloween

**The Loudoun County Sheriff's Office will again assist the  
Virginia Department of Corrections [DOC]  
Probation Parole District 25  
with "Operation Lights Out" on Halloween.**

As part of the operation, LCSO deputies will team up with members of Adult Probation/Parole to conduct random home visits of convicted sex offenders who reside in Loudoun County in order to assure compliance with restrictions, which are as follows:

- Porch lights much remain OFF on Halloween
- NO inviting Halloween decorations
- Doors must remain unanswered to potential trick or treaters







# Alarm calls by Station 07/01 – 09/30/2014



	July 1-September 30, 2014			
	ALMB	ALMC	ALMR	QTR TOTAL
<b>DULLES SOUTH</b> (410, 420, 430, 440, 450, 460, 470)	3	180	609	792
<b>UNIVERSITY</b> (310, 320, 330, 340, 350, 360, 370)	21	118	330	469
<b>EASTERN LOUDOUN</b> (210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260, 270, 280, 290)	31	301	195	527
<b>WESTERN DISTRICT</b> (510, 520, 530, 540, 550)	0	20	172	192
<b>MIDDLEBURG</b> (800)	4	6	7	17
<b>PURCELLVILLE</b> (700)	3	41	13	57
<b>LEESBURG</b> (900)--Called in to LCSO by alarm company or by LPD for assistance	0	18	0	18
<b>ENTIRE COUNTY</b>	62	684	1326	2072

**ALMB-Bank    ALMC-Commercial    ALMR-Residential**





# Informational

## LCSO 34th Citizens' Police Academy

[Is currently ongoing and will end Nov. 18th]

NEXT SESSION WILL BE OFFERED SPRING 2015

### FREE SESSIONS

- Classes are open to Loudoun County residents over the age of 18.
- Classes provide an overview of all the aspects of law enforcement within the agency.
- Members of the class may also have the option of participating in a ride-a-long with a deputy after completing the academy.
- Ride Along applications are available on the LCSO website
- To enroll, please contact Emir Bekric at (703) 737-8238, 9– 5, M-F.



***Registration will be on a first come, first served basis. Enrollment is limited to 25 participants.***





# IT IS ILLEGAL TO TEXT AND DRIVE IN LOUDOUN COUNTY and in THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA



According to a recent study conducted by the Virginia Tech Transportation Institute, texting and driving is the **MOST** dangerous of all cell phone related tasks.

According to the National Safety Council, there are approximately 1.6 million vehicle crashes each year where texting while driving was the contributing factor.

It is **UNLAWFUL** for any person to operate a moving vehicle on the highways in Loudoun County and the Commonwealth of Virginia while using a handheld personal communications device to text, or read email per Virginia State Code 46.2-1078, effective July 1, 2013. **This new law makes texting while driving a primary offense and significantly raises fines for a first offense to \$125.**



LCSO & LCPS collaborated on a school public awareness campaign regarding the dangers of texting while driving.





# REMINDERS



- Lock personal vehicles – more vehicles are entered through unlocked doors than by force
- Secure valuables in vehicle trunk (i.e. not in plain view)
- Close/Lock residential garages and doors
- Safely secure all firearms
- LCSO Non-Emergency Number:

**(703) 777-1021**

